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Via Electronic Submission

Ms. Marlene Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Room TWA-325
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Ex Parte
CC Docket 02-53, Presubscribed Interexchange Carrier Charges**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On February 1, 2005, Gary Phillips, Susan Grossklaus, and I, the undersigned, on behalf of SBC Communications, met with Jennifer Manner, Senior Counsel to Commissioner Abernathy. During the course of the meeting, we discussed the decrease in the volume of PIC changes in our region during 2004, as well as our concerns about the impact of bifurcated rates on the consumer.

This notice is being filed pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

/s/Toni Acton
Associate Director

cc: Jennifer Manner